

Docket No.: 051023-0025

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 20277
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Shinji INAZAWA, et al.	:	Confirmation Number: 8803
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Application No.: 10/517,821	:	Group Art Unit: 1793
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Filed: December 14, 2004	:	Examiner: Jie Yang
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For: METHOD FOR PRODUCING FINE METAL POWDER	:	

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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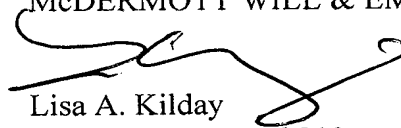
Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated February 5, 2008, now due to expire May 5, 2008, be extended for two month(s) and set to expire on July 5, 2008.

Please charge the extension fee of \$460.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

Respectfully submitted,

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